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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re the Application of:

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Group Art Unit: 1638

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated May 23, 2008, please amend the above-identified application as set forth below.

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Amendments to the Claims are submitted beginning on page 3.

Remarks are submitted beginning on page 9.